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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Logistics

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SUBJECT

: New Task Order -- [REDACTED]

1. The Headquarters ELINT Processing Center, Office of ELINT, is presently replacing certain data reduction equipment with more advanced state-of-art equipment. This effort is designed to enhance the productivity of the laboratory and to provide for more accurate interpretation of signal intelligence data.

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2. The Office of Logistics has negotiated several contracts with [REDACTED] for [REDACTED]

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in furtherance of the replacement program noted above. These units are high precision instruments and require specialized knowledge in order to insure the accuracy of the intelligence derived therefrom. Accordingly, it is the desire of this office to negotiate with [REDACTED] for specialized instruction pertaining to the maintenance, repair, and operation of this equipment. [REDACTED]

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25X1A5a1 [REDACTED] technical proposal 1163249 S attached describes in capsule form the course of instruction recommended for personnel engaged in the operation of this equipment. This course will also provide instruction to engineering personnel who are concerned with the interpretation of intelligence data derived therefrom.

3. Requisition ELR-64-220 attached substantiates the \$1,130.55 this Office has encumbered for purposes of executing this contract. The technical proposal has been reviewed by the OEL staff and is considered acceptable in its present form. Sole source need not be justified in connection with this contract since [REDACTED] is the only firm capable of providing instructions in the operation of their own equipment.

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4. [REDACTED] has been designated project officer for this contract and will monitor its execution. The first course of instruction will be given in accordance with the outlines attached and will commence 27 January and end 30 January. Action is now being taken to obtain an ad hoc **SECRET** clearance for the individual [REDACTED] has selected to teach the course.

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[REDACTED]
Assistant Director for ELINT
Deputy Director (Science and Technology)

APPROVAL:

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[REDACTED] Executive Officer

Attachments: A/S

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